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DELAYED DISPATCHES.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Boston stock jobbers say there is some talk of a contract between the Oregon Improvement company and the Canadian Pacific, by which the former will be given all the traffic between Vancouver and San Francisco.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 16.—A trunk of jewelry valued at $30,000, belonging to the firm of J. W. Anderson & Co., of St. Louis, was recovered here this afternoon by the police. The check for it was presented at the Chesapeake & Ohio depot by John E. Gorman, who claimed that the baggage master at St. Louis had checked the wrong trunk. Gorman was taken in charge and placed in the station house, but was released this afternoon as his statement was confirmed by a telegram from the St. Louis authorities. Gorman is an engineer and came to Memphis seeking employment. The trunk of jewelry was expressed back to St. Louis.

EASTPORT, Me., Oct. 16.—The loss by the fire is now estimated at $800,000. There are no means yet of estimating the insurance. Several safes were opened to-day, with better results than was expected. The report that the insurance books and reports were destroyed was a mistake. The most serious part of the calamity is that a great number of families are homeless and destitute and out of employment. One hundred families are without homes, many of whom were quite comfortably situated, but are now living with their friends. The suffering will increase as the weather grows colder. A relief committee has been organized and some aid has been received, but only sufficient to relieve temporary distress.

FOLSOM, Cal., Oct. 16.—Willett Sumner, who was serving a ten years' sentence in the Folsom prison, committed suicide this morning by hanging.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—Gen. Thos. F. West, special agent of the treasury department, was arrested to-day on a charge of opening a letter addressed to a Mrs. Hepburn. He was released on $2000 bail.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 15.—The Windsor hotel at Roselle was burned this morning. Joanna Sullivan was burned to death. The hotel was valued at $24,000.

DAYTON, Oct. 15.—Yesterday at noon a four-year-old son of E. G. Clark, an immigrant on route to Grande Ronde valley from Spokane Falls, fell from the wagon, the front wheels passing over his back and injuring it severely. On arrival in town medical aid was at once summoned. No bones were broken, and the surgeon says the child will recover.

SOMERSET, Ky., Oct. 15.—Henry Boyle, special United States bailiff, and Edward Logan, special United States commissioner, met in the office of the latter this morning, and after a few words were exchanged both drew their pistols and commenced firing. Three balls took effect in Boyle's body and two in Logan's. Both are dying. Boyle and Logan are old revenue officers and prominent citizens of the county.

SAN FRANCISO, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Adelaide Harper, 30 years old, took a dose of Paris green last night, and died from its effects this morning. Domestic trouble was the cause of the act.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The troop ship Tyne, thirty hours overdue at Plymouth, has been sighted off there, laboring terribly in the storm. Great anxiety has been entertained concerning her for the past 24 hours.

The British ship Teviotdale, which sailed from Cardiff, Wales, on Thursday last, was wrecked during the storm on Caermarthen bar. There were on board at the time 29 persons. Nineteen, among whom were the captain and officers left in a boat and but two succeeded in reaching the shore alive. The other seventeen perished.

Mrs. Leader, wife of a butcher doing business in Camberville, a suburb of London, after a quarrel with her husband, left her home, taking her five children with her. She went to the Thames river at Fulham and threw herself and five children into the water. All were drowned but one of the children.

A Speedy Cure.

As a speedy cure for Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Diarrhoea, Colic, Cramps, Sick Stomach, Canker of the Stomach and Bowels, and all forms of Summer Complaints, there is no remedy more reliable than Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Dealers who sell it, and those who buy it are on mutual grounds in confidence of its merits. tu-th-sat-dw.

CANVAS BOARDS at Hibben & Co. *

YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

A Disastrous Hurricane.

Beach Leaves for Australia.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The latest reports show that the effects of the recent storm on the south and west coasts were terrible. A Norwegian bark foundered off Tintagel, and her entire crew, consisting of 15 persons, perished. Ten bodies were washed ashore on Glamorgan coast. The British ship Malleny was wrecked in Bristol Channel, and 12 persons drowned. The shore is strewn with wreckage, and bodies washed ashore have been stripped of valuables by wreckers. The Norwegian bark Fredericksland was wrecked off Hadston and 19 persons drowned. The bark Alliance was also wrecked off Hadston and four lives lost. Other persons on board were saved by a life boat. Another large bark was to be seen in terrible distress, the crew being huddled together on deck. The vessel foundered this morning, and it is believed that from 12 to 20 persons were drowned. The gale prevented people on shore from rendering any assistance. The cries of the doomed men were heard distinctly by those who were watching the vessel from the shore.

The British steamer Artos, Capt. Whittlesey, from New York, September 29, for Bordeaux, has been lost on Point Eldela Conbrie, at the northern mouth of the Girronde. The wreckage from the steamer and part of her cargo, are washing ashore. The British steamer Kate, Capt. Durkie, from Savannah, Sept. 29, for Liverpool, arrived at Queenstown disabled. She shipped immense quantities of water, and broke twenty-five steam pipes. Her decks were much damaged. A Norwegian bark, owner Capt. Nicleson, from Mobile, Aug. 14, has been towed to Cowes. She lost her sails, and three of her crew died of ague, and others are suffering from the malady. The British bark Ruthland, Capt. Casey, from Quebec, Sept. 15, for Greenwich, was abandoned off Lundy Island; the mate and carpenter were drowned; the other members of the crew were rescued and landed at Falmouth.

William Beach, the oarsman, has sailed from Plymouth on his way home.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—When the case of ex-Alderman Henry S. Sayles, the latest addition to the American colony in Canada, was called to the court of general sessions to-day, the habitues and officials were much surprised at the presentation of a check for $25,000 to Judge Cowing by bondsman Sol. Sayles. Notwithstanding the strenuous efforts of ex Alderman McCabe's attorney, motion made by the district attorney to have the trial set down for the 21st was granted. McCabe was then committed to the Tombs to await trial.

SALISBURY, Md., Oct., 17.—A fire which started in a small frame stable about 7 o'clock to-night, swept over the entire business portion of the village. A brisk wind from the southeast spread the flames rapidly, while the inhabitants stood by powerless to prevent the destruction, as the dry frame buildings burned too fiercely to be checked by the small fire apparatus. It is impossible to estimate the loss, but a rough guess places it at over a million dollars. Stores with their contents were licked up by the flames, and the streets to-night were full of people whose houses have been destroyed. Midnight—The fire is still burning fiercely, and there seems to be no hope of staying its progress. No lives lost so far.

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 17.—During a storm on Lake Erie last night, a schooner with distress signals hoisted, was sighted several miles out. The men were in the rigging and the vessel appeared to be going to pieces. The sea was running high and no attempt was made at a rescue until this morning, when no trace of the vessel could be seen. All day pieces of wreck have been coming in, but no bodies have been washed ashore. The name of the schooner is not known.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 17.—Four drunken laborers entered Geo. Keefer's saloon to-day and raised a row. They were ordered out and responded by smashing all the windows and furniture. The proprietor shot Wm. Daley and Jno. Burns, and their companions fled. Both men are mortally wounded. Keefer walked to the police station and gave himself up.

KEY WEST, Fla., Oct. 17.—Advices from Nassau report the total loss of the British steamer Juliette, on Mingerbread Ground, Cohamas, bound from Cardiff for New Orleans, with a cargo of rails, which are now being saved and taken to Nassau.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 17.—Henry Zeigler to-day shot his wife three times, and then cut his own throat with a knife and fired a bullet through his head. He expired almost instantly; the woman will recover.

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in Cans* ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 107 Wall St., N.Y. ja5dwly

Not Practicable.

Tid Bits: Excited Parisian—Ah, Eugene, I hear you have discovered a way to accumulate a million francs.

Eugene—Yes Jean I have.

Excited Parisian—Is it such a secret then?

Eugene—No Jean. All one has to do is to save a thousand francs a year for a thousand years.

Excited Parisian—Ah, but none of us live so long as that.

Eugene—That is not my fault, Jean.

Fatal Attacks.

Among the most prevalent fatal and sudden attacks of diseases, are those incident to the summer and fall, such as Cholera Morbus, Bilious Colic, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, etc., that often prove fatal in a few hours That ever reliable remedy, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, should be at hand, for use in emergency. tu-th-sat-dw.

Mother Carey's Salve.

A valuable little ointment for Sores, Burns, Wounds, Piles, Fistula or Sore Bunions and Corns. Does not draw like other salves, but is soothing and cooling.
22nov LANGLEY & CO., Agents.

LANGLEY & Co., Yates street, Victoria, B. C., sole agents for B. C., of Dr. J. W. Treat's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. To insure satisfaction use no other.

ACCOUNT BOOKS AT A WONDERFUL REDUCTION AT THE OLD BANK.

NEW YEAR CARDS for Jewish New Year for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co. *

THE ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RAILWAY SHIPPING RECEIPT BOOKS AT THE OLD BANK.

Customs and Legal Blanks

Of every description for sale at *The Colonist* office. 4

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TO-DAY!

—AT THE—

"ARCADE"

TRIMMED

BONNETS & HATS,

THE MOST STYLISH,

Untrimmed Bonnets and Hats, all the New Shapes.

Birds' Wings, Fancy Feathers and Ornaments.

LATEST NOVELTIES IN

VISITES, PALETOTS & WRAPS,

VELVET AND FUR

JACKETS & CLOAKS,

Silk and Electric Gossamer Circulars,

FANCY WOOL DRESSES and Hats to match for Children up to 4 years old,

Several new French Corsets

And a large stock of regular makes; the best numbers of the Compton Corset.

FINE SAXONY AND CANADIAN

BLANKETS, FLANNELS,

COMFORTABLES, QUILTS,

Scrim and Lace Curtains and Tidies to match.

CARPETS, OILCLOTH, MATS,

Gentlemen's Underwear,
Braces, Ties, Gloves, etc.

The Dress and Mantle making department is now in full operation.

A complete stock of the Bazaar Patterns will arrive in a few days. A book with new fall styles will be left at each lady's house as soon as they arrive, and should be kept for reference.

The motto at the Arcade is—"We desire to please."

DAVID SPENCER,
oc8 Proprietor.

COSTUME

—AND—

MANTLE MAKING

MRS. RUTLAND BEGS TO INFORM THE ladies of Victoria and vicinity that she has commenced business in the above line.

Mrs. R. having had many years' experience in the west end of London, England, is prepared to give a first-class fit and style, combined with moderate charges.

KANE STREET (ABOVE DOUGLAS.)

WANTED—Good Bodice, Skirt and Mantle hands, immediately; also, Apprentices.
Apply, MRS. RUTLAND,
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COCKLE'S

ANTIBILIOUS

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The Great English Medicine.

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PURELY VEGETABLE INGREDIENTS, AND WITHOUT MERCURY. USED BY THE ENGLISH PEOPLE FOR OVER 120 YEARS. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

WHOLESALE AGENTS,

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BY A STEADY YOUNG ENGLISHMAN A SITuation as groom or coachman; good horseman; willing to be useful. Apdress "S. S.," *The Colonist* office. oct4 3t

WANTED.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE OPEN TO ENGAGE the services of a reliable and trustworthy gentleman practically acquainted with the paper trade, to represent them on commission in Victoria, British Columbia: st, secure orders for paper and stationery; 2nd, obtain particulars of any articles in paper or stationery which J. S. & S. might buy for sale in England or elsewhere Applications to be made to JAMES SPICER & SONS' paper warehouse, 60 Upper Thames street, London, England. oct4-21

WANTED

A GENTLEMAN DESIRES FURNISHED ROOM and board, permanently with private family. No boarding house. City references.
oc5 Address "A HOME," *The Colonist* office.

WANTED

WANTED AN ENERGETIC CANVASSER, OF good address for a well-established and popular Life Assurance Company. In addition to a commission on Life Assurance a salary would be paid to a competent canvasser who could undertake posting up a set of books. Address, giving references and where last employed, CANVASSER, *The Colonist* office. oct 1m

TENDERS.

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO

Wednesday, 20th inst., at 4 p.m.

For Grading and Gravelling First Street

AND FOR

Blasting, Grading & Gravelling Elizabeth Street,

AND FOR

Blasting Rock on Maclure Street,

Opposite the Reformed Episcopal Church.

Plans and Specifications can be seen daily at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

City Hall, Victoria,
16th October, 1886. oc17

MILLINERY

All the Leading Novelties.

MRS. WHITLAW

IS NOW PREPARED TO SHOW ALL THE LEADing novelties for the Autumn. Her stock is large and varied. New Chenielle Flowers, Fancy Wings and Birds.

A SPECIAL LINE OF COLORED OSTRICH FEATHERS

VERY CHEAP, Ladies' and Children's Woolen Goods, Fascinators, &c.,

PATTERN HATS AND BONNETS

Sealskin Hats and Caps in great variety, Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets in all the leading shapes, new "Frieze" Hats in all colors, and the popular shape "ELLEN TERRY." oc9 2m

SOAP!

WE KEEP UP WITH THE TIMES!

And shall continue to turn out and keep on hand all the

Varieties of Soap that we placed on Exhibition

At the late Fair, and feel confident that our leading brands of

LAUNDRY & TOILET SOAPS

Will be held in favor against all Soaps from any quarter.

We shall keep them well up in QUALITY and at the LOWEST PRICES

PENDRAY & CO.,
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JOHN BARNSLEY,

PRACTICAL GUNSMITH

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AMMUNITION OF ALL KINDS.

FORT ST., next to Campbell's Drug Store VICTORIA

☞ Repairs of all kinds a specialty. se23 6m

A SOCIAL

Will be held at the

SCHOOL HOUSE, SOOKE,

On Friday, 29th Oct., 1886.

TICKETS, 25 CENTS. oc6dw

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MERCANTILE AGENCY

REPRESENT:

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FINE BOOTS AND SHOES,

BOSTON AND SAN FRANCISCO.

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THE CALIFORNIA CRACKER CO.
"MOUNT HELENA" VINEYARD.
LOS ANGELOS AND RIVERSIDE.
FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.

Oranges and Lemons.

ETC., ETC., ETC.

JOHN A. BRADLEY,

SAMPLE ROOMS:

CITY AUCTION MART, Government
se23 1m Street.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between William Luney and George Wood, builders and contractors, is hereby dissolved from this date by mutual consent. William Luney will continue the business on his own account, paying all debts owing by the late firm, and will collect all accounts due the late firm.

(Signed) W. LUNEY,
G. WOOD.

In presence of ROWLAND E. GREEN. oct7 1w

DENTISTRY

W. J. QUINLAN, D.D.S.

HAS REMOVED INTO THE ROOMS FORMERly occupied by Dr. West,

DENNY'S BUILDING, GOVERNMENT STREET.

☞ A specialty made of filling and treating frail teeth. au31 6m

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JUST RECEIVED AT

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A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

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HEALTH PRESERVING CORSETS,

ALSO—The Celebrated

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ALSO—THE

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IN ALL SIZES.

—ALSO—

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—AND—

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VICTORIA, Oct. 2nd, 1886. oc3

For Sale at Low Figures,

—BY—

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NURSERYMEN, SEEDSMEN & FLORISTS,

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF

NURSERY STOCK OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees and Shrubs, Herbaceous Perennials, Bulbs, etc., including many novelties.

Also, Grass, Clover and other Seeds at the LOWEST RATES and of the best quality.

Encourage home industry and avoid paying the extortionate prices charged by the tree peddlers who are overrunning the country.

For further particulars see our priced Catalogues which will be forwarded post free on application.

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Brushes, Plain and Ornamental Window Glass,

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A REGULAR DAILY TRAIN

WILL LEAVE RUSSELL'S STATION, VICtoria West, commencing on

THURSDAY, 30TH SEPT., AT 8 A. M.,

Arriving at NANAIMO at 11:40 a. m. Returning wi

LEAVE NANAIMO AT 2 P. M.

Arriving at Russell's Station, at 5:40 p. m. se28t

CHANCE OF TIME.

ON AND AFTER THE 30TH SEPT. THE ESquimalt Stage will leave the

VICTORIA POSTOFFICE AT 7.30 A. M.

To connect with the train for Nanaimo.

FARE TO RAILWAY STATION, TEN CENTS.
se29 1m W. G. BOWMAN.

MRS. O. J. FAYLOR,

DRESSMAKER,

HAVING RETURNED TO TOWN, BEGS TO notify the ladies of Victoria that she has taken rooms in the Victoria Theatre building, Douglas St., third door from View. an7 3m

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80. CASES. 80.

OF FALL AND WINTER

BOOTS, SHOES AND GUM GOODS.

Children's Shoes from 45 cts., Ladies' Shoes from 75 cts., Men's from $1.50.

An immense stock of FLANNELS and BLANKETS—7lb. all wool white Blankets, extra large double size, $3.50 per pair; 8lb. Grey do., $2.50 per pair; 28 inch all wool Grey Flannel from 25 cts. per yard. An unsurpassed assortment of English and American CLOTHING and OVERCOATS.

FANCY GOODS & TOYS now arriving by every steamer direct from Germany

CHAS. RUSSELL, McDONALD & CO., PROPRIETORS.
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WHY PAY HIGH PRICES For Your Clothing,

WHEN YOU CAN SECURE THE FINEST SUITS FOR MEN AND BOYS AT LOWER RATES THAN PREVIOUSLY OFFERED AT THE

GOLDEN RULE CLOTHING STORE.

We have just received an Elegant Stock of

UNDERWEAR, FINE SHIRTS, HATS, NECKWARE, SATCHELS

Trunks, and the Latest Novelties in Gents' Furnishing Goods which are open for Exhibition. ☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE:

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Is now open for Freight and Passenger Traffic and Trains are running through

Between Port Moody, Winnipeg, Ottawa, Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, St. Paul, Chicago,

AND ALL POINTS IN CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES.

The Equipment of this line is all NEW and of the HIGHEST CLASS.

Our Sleeping and Dining Cars are LUXURIOUS, and our 1st and 2nd class Coaches marvels of Comfor

The CUISINE of our Dining Cars is unequalled, every luxury of the season is served in them.

We run the whole gamut of the GRANDEST SCENERY IN THE WORLD—MOUNTAINS LAKES STREAMS and PRAIRIE.

Smooth, well ballasted Steel Track. No Dust. ☞ FREE SECOND CLASS SLEEPING CARS. ☜

Time through from Port Moody to Montreal, 137 Hours.

When going EAST purchase Tickets VIA CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Mark and Consign your FREIGHT by this Line.

For TICKETS, Sleeping Car Berths, and all information, apply at the office of the CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO., Wharf street, Victoria, B. C., or C. P. R. Agent, Port Moody.

au11 G. A. CARLETON, AGENT.

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—OF THE—

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THE LARGEST MANUFACTURERS IN THE WORLD OF

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VICTORIA ELECTRIC SOAP WORKS

ON YATES STREET, ABOVE DOUGLAS,

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McDONALD'S ELECTRIC SOAP,

which has our name on each bar, and none genuine without it.

se23 McDONALD & CO.

A. MUIRHEAD. W. CARTER.

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IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

CHOICE GROCERIES,

Wines and Liquors,

COR. DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS., VICTORIA.

☞ Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge. se16 6m

NOTICE.

A SITTING OF THE COUNTY COURT OF NAnaimo will be held at Comox on Tuesday, the 12th October, 1886.

The sittings of the County Court of Cariboo will be held—

At Richfield.....Monday.....11th October, 1886
At Quesnellemouth.Thursday....14th "
At Soda Creek.....Saturday.....16th "
At Lillooet.....Wednesday...27th "
At Clinton.....Monday.....8th November

By Command,
JOHN ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 23rd, 1886. se26 2w

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—OF—

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WILL SELL OUT THIS SEASON

The Whole of his Nursery Stock.

BUILDING LOTS of portions of his Nursery Grounds for Sale.

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AT THEIR STORE ON

BROAD STREET, near FORT,

HAVE A FRESH SUPPLY OF

GRASS & CLOVER SEEDS,

Suitable for Pasture and Lawn. Also,

AGRICULTURAL AND GARDEN SEEDS

Of every description, which are offered

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Daily Colonist

TUESDAY MORNING, OCT. 19TH, 1886.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

$20 REWARD

WILL BE PAID FOR THE ARREST AND conviction of any person who may steal *The Colonist* from the door of a subscriber.

THE CHANGE.

A brief announcement was made in Sunday morning's issue of the change that had taken place in the proprietorship of this journal. Our evening contemporary, the Times, in a complimentary reference to the new management, has fallen into the same error that many of the good friends of *The Colonist* have been guilty of—that of assuming that the change was merely nominal and of temporary convenience rendered necessary by the active public life that its late proprietor has drifted into. It is not in order to satisfy any idle curiosity on the part of our esteemed contemporary or of individuals that the members of the new firm desire to state that Mr. D. W. Higgins is not financially interested with them, but that a *bona fide* sale of the various branches of *The Colonist* business was concluded on satisfactory terms to all parties concerned. It is simply stated as a matter of justice to ourselves. It perhaps will not be amiss to also assure our readers that the policy of the paper will not be materially altered, and that energetic endeavors will be made to retain and add to its prestige as the leading newspaper of the province, giving a cordial support to the government that has accomplished more to advance British Columbia's prosperity than any previous provincial administration, and in all things seeking to advance the welfare of the city and the province.

THE FINANCE MINISTERSHIP.

The Times is nothing if not authentic. It told its readers on Saturday that a member of the house, in the confidence of the government, had informed it that "Mr. Duck would continue to feather his nest until the house meets when the government will inform the house and country that in pursuance of their policy of retrenchment and reform they have resolved to combine the portfolios of finance minister and provincial secretary." On Monday in one column we are treated to another dose of the Times' "predictions" in the same line, and in another are informed that Mr. Duck has resigned his portfolio. The Times' readers must be puzzled to know just what the status of Mr. Duck is at present, whether according to the editorial columns he is a mercenary wretch with his eyes on the money bags, or according to the local that the offices of provincial secretary and finance minister are merged in one. Well, we will be magnanimous and tell the Times, for the information of its benighted readers, just how the matter stands. Mr. Duck, who has been the subject of our contemporary's abuse for some months, has been quietly going on in the even tenor of his way, discharging the duties of his onerous position and settling up matters pertaining to the business of the office. Now that he has everything arranged for his successor, and has all unfinished business in proper shape, he has resigned his portfolio and the Hon. J. Robson, provincial secretary, has been sworn in in his stead. Mr. Duck, in retaining the portfolio, after he had been defeated at the polls, had only the best interests of the province at heart. He has been faithful and hard-working and in losing his services the country is deprived of a zealous minister. He has always worked in harmony with his colleagues at the council board and is respected by all the members of the party. The Times' scurrility has not injured him in the least, rather has raised up for him friends in all quarters. Our contemporary as a prophet, however, discounts Wiggins considerably, and is, it will be seen, an unsafe authority to rely upon in all matters political.

THE MEMORIAL COLONIAL EXHIBITION.

After years of abeyance the scheme of an Imperial museum has again been taken up in a form which seems to promise success. By making it a memorial of the fiftieth anniversary of Her Majesty's reign, placing it under the permanent presidency of the heir to the throne and giving the people of the whole wide empire an opportunity of contributing to its establishment, the promoters of the institution have adopted the most likely plan to secure the accomplishment of the undertaking. The agitation on the subject some years ago ended in a proposal to purchase the site of the projected National opera house (partially erected) on the Victoria embankment. The cost of the freehold of the said site would amount it was estimated, to £38,000. On the work so far carried on for the construction of the opera house, the contractor had spent about £65,000, but the company was willing to hand it over for £40,000 It was computed by Mr. Fowler, the opera house architect, that the entire building for the Colonial museum, with exhibition space, library, reading and lecture rooms, and offices for agents-general, could be built for £135 000 The total cost would thus be £175,000. The cost of maintenance (about £12,000 a year) should be shared by both England and the colonies—the management being entrusted to a board of trustees in which all divisions of the empire should be represented. It was expected that a considerable annual revenue (at least £2,700) would be derived from the block of offices attached to the museum. That sum with the English grant (£6,000) would provide for actually indispensable services of administration and it was proposed that the payment of superintendents of departments should be derived from the colonial grants. As to the primary cost of the enterprise, it was suggested that England should pay for the purchase of the site, and the colonies for the cost of the building. The edifice would consist of a large central hall, 225 feet long by 102 broad, with two tiers of galleries. On one side there would be three floors of exhibition rooms communicating with the hall, and on the other, the block, with six groups of offices, each with its own entrance, but each having direct access to the museum. The exhibition floor space would be equal to about 70,000 feet, subdivided into sections for colonies or groups of colonies. The floor space of the common portion—library, reading room, trade museum, committee rooms, etc—would be about 15,000 feet. Three floors and part of the fourth—available for colonial offices—would contain, apart from staircases and passages, about 19,000 feet, and there would also be in the basement ample space for workshops and storerooms. An important question for the colonies was the calculation of the share of the cost which each of them would be called upon to undertake. The total cost of the buildings (as already mentioned) was set down at £175,000, but, with the fittings required for the common sections, that figure might be brought up to not far from £200,000. The floor space assigned to each colony supplied the basis for the distribution of the total cost. The whole floor space allotted to the sections, being 63,100, and the total cost £200,000, each square foot of space would cost £3 3s. 6d. Thus a total of 13,500 square feet was allotted to the Dominion, whose share of the cost was, therefore, £41,066, to be borne by the provinces in proportion to population. The Australasian group, including Fiji, was allotted 32,500 square feet, with share of cost corresponding The Cape colonies were allowed 5,800 square feet, the distribution being in the ratio of the white inhabitants. In the Crown colonies the revenue was to be the basis of participation in the burden of expenditure. It is not, of course, to be supposed that the present enterprise is simply a revival of the old scheme. But the lines marked out in 1879 may, doubtless, be taken as furnishing some idea of the general plan. The arguments in favor of an Imperial museum as being advantageous to the mother country and colonies are—even apart from the memorial character of the institution—much stronger now than they were seven years ago, and it is to be hoped that there will be no back-going this time.

Johnson Street Bridge.

TO THE EDITOR:—The proposal of Mr. Humber for a bridge at the foot of Johnson street will not meet with the approval of the ratepayers of Victoria on account of cost and the restriction it would offer to commerce. Twenty years ago there was a bridge with a draw at that point which was found in those early days to destroy the usefulness of half Victoria harbor and seriously to impede traffic.

Surely if such was the case then and the bridge found to be in the way the evil would be much more now, when our maritime traffic has increased to double the proportions of twenty years ago. If the council desires to aid Mr. Dunsmuir in reaching the town with the railway let a bridge be placed over the "Arm" just above Thompson's, and let the railway find a terminus near Mr. Finlayson's house.

In any case the railway cannot cross at Johnson street for want of sufficient room; nor could it be worked in our streets without danger to man and beast.

CITIZEN.

SABINE PASS.

A Scene of Desolation.

GALVESTON, Oct. 16.—Further particulars of the great disaster at Sabine Pass and Johnson Bayou are constantly being received. The situation has not been exaggerated in the least. A correspondent who has just returned from Sabine Pass telegraphs from Orange that turkey buzzards are soaring over Sabine for miles around on land and water, seeking the bodies of persons and animals. The town is swept out of existence. What was a prosperous village when last Tuesday dawned, is now the center of desolation. There are now 127 persons missing and they are supposed to be dead. Only about 25 bodies have thus far been recovered. Innumerable heartrending incidents of the storm are related by the survivors. One house containing fourteen colored persons was seen to go down with a crash and every one of them was lost. Incidents are related of husbands lashing their wives and children to the floating wreckage and then seeing them killed by heavy logs being driven against them. The damage to property can only be estimated by the value of the town, for all is lost. The Sabine & Texas railroad is washed out for a distance of ten miles. The ties have floated off and the rails are twisted like wires from the effect of the great hurricane. Millions of dead fish were cast up by the waves and thousands of dead birds also strew the ground. A young woman in a perfectly nude state was found roaming around on the prairie five miles from Sabine. She was demented and could not tell her name. When the Government tug Penrose reached Sabine yesterday, Columbus Martee was found rowing around the delta, looking for the bodies of his family. He said: "Myself, wife and three children were clinging to a floating wreck, which was gradually breaking to pieces First one went and then another. I was holding the youngest child, and soon my wife said, 'Good-bye, husband! I am going.' I could not reach her. The piece of roof supporting her broke, and she sank before my eyes. I held on to the youngest child, named Pearl, some time longer. The child addressing me said, 'Papa, I'm tired; won't you walk with me?' The piece of roof I was on was now crumbling to pieces. I told the little one to kiss me. She put both her little arms around my neck and gave me a big squeeze, and just then a wave dashed us off and I saw her no more. Great God, why didn't I go down, too!" He was pressed to go on board the Penrose but refused, saying: "Here, among these lagoons, are the bodies of my wife and children, and here will I stop until I can find them." No tongue can tell how the people have suffered during the past few days.

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Dancing Academy.

Mrs. Dickinson resumed her dancing classes Saturday October 2nd, at 2.30 p. m. Parents wishing information will please apply at the Kindergarten, corner Kane and Blanchard, between the hours of 9.30 and 2 p. m.

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CABLE NEWS.

IRELAND.

DUBLIN, Oct. 18.—Miss Mary Anderson has subscribed $2,500 for the benefit of the sufferers by the Charleston earthquake, the net proceeds of her performances during the past week.

The branches of the Irish national league in the counties of Cork and Waterford have been making inquiries regarding the condition of the farms in these districts, and have just made a report of the result of their investigations. They say that harvests have been bad; oats are selling from 3 to 5 shillings per barrel, and that a heavy fall in stocks has rendered farmers unable to pay their rents on account of the bad harvests. The farmers demand a reduction of from 45 to 50 per cent. in rents, and where a reduction is refused they will pay nothing. A number of landlords offer a reduction of 35 per cent.

FRANCE.

PARIS, Oct. 18.—A bill introduced by the minister of marine for the completion of a French navy, proposes to outlay $800,000 for the construction of ports of refuge. It also proposes such concentrations of work under contracts that it shall be completed in four years instead of nine, which was the nominal time named for the whole outlay.

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—The minister of the interior has issued orders relative to proceedings against emigrants returning from America liable for military service and who claim to have been naturalized in the United States. If there is no special reason to suspect such persons emigrating for the purpose of evading such a service they will be permitted to take up residence in Saxony for limited period. Any such who gives trouble or boast of their exceptional position, or when there is reason to believe emigrated to evade the law will be expelled from Germany immediately.

UNITED STATES.

The Strike of the Chicago Packing House Workmen Over.

A Python's Startling Antics---Chinese Ineligible as Citizens of the Republic.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The acting secretary of the treasury has telegraphed to the collector of customs at San Francisco as follows: "By request of the secretary of state you are directed to extend all proper courtesy to Prince and Princess Komatsu and suite and Prince and Princess Akihito and suite, all of Japan, who are expected to reach your port on the 18th inst, and to pass their baggage and effects free of duty.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 18.—The fund in aid of the storm sufferers now exceeds $1500. A letter was received from President Cleveland this morning enclosing a check for $100 and expressing sympathy with the distressed people. There are 105 persons being cared for by the relief committee, and food and clothing are being liberally provided. There is considerable doubt expressed about permitting squatters to return to the island to be the victims of every severe storm.

BOSTON, Oct. 18.—The 29½ foot python which recently got away in the city hall park, again escaped this morning while being transferred from his box to the cage at Austin & Stone's museum here. Crawling under the stage the snake broke away several boards, entered the cellar, got in the cold air box of the furnace and burst open its sides, the bricks flying in all directions. Four men seized it and a terrible struggle ensued lasting an hour and a-half. They finally succeeded in caging it. During the fight the python wound himself around two thick joints and snapped them as easily as if they were only pipe stems. He bit one man in the wrist, and squeezed the breath out of another jamming him against the wall.

CHICAGO, Oct 18.—The strike of the packing house workmen was formally ended this afternoon. The strikers held a mass meeting on the prairie about 3 o'clock at which between 12,000 and 14 000 were present. A proposition to return to work on the 10 hour plan was carried almost unanimously and the strike was declared at an end. The packing house owners will keep all their new men and by running all the houses up to the full capacity expect to be able to retain in their employ nearly all their old men.

Judge Pendergast to-day refused the application of Moy Ah Kee, a Chinese laundryman, for naturalization as a citizen of the United States, on account of the applicant's nationality. Moy's first papers granted some time ago in New York were in regular form, but the judge said he was uncertain as to the eligibility of the Chinese to become citizens, and advised the applicant to employ a lawyer to represent his case.

THE EASTERN TROUBLE.

The Outlook More Pacific.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Thomas Power O'Connor cables from London to the Star: The preponderance of continental opinion now is that the Russian government will see the folly of precipitating a war that may involve every power in Europe, when by continuing cautiously in a diplomatic course the Bulgarian government must gradually disintegrate, and the Russian programme eventually be gladly embraced as its only possible solution to an intolerable situation. If this view is acted upon, Russia will for the moment pocket the affronts offered her, and concentrate her attention on the selection of a successor to Prince Alexander, continuing quietly her intrigues against the Bulgarian government. Private reports state that the czar keenly feels the defiant attitude of the Bulgarians. He is in a state of chronic irritation, and his general health is bad. For days at a time he refuses to look at foreign journals. He requires the strictest surveillance over newspapers sent to the imperial palace, and the selection for his perusal of those alone that support the Russian policy. A prevailing rumor is that Turkey, under strong pressure from Russia, has actually yielded to her bitterest enemy the right to occupy a spot on the Dardanelles. If this report be well founded the contests of generations have come to an end. The report is received everywhere with reserve, notwithstanding its semi-authenticity.

WAR OF RACES.

A College Student in North Carolina Killed.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The Herald's Durham, N. C., special of October 11th says: A lamentable affray between the students of the North Carolina State University and negroes took place on Chapel Hill on Saturday night. It resulted in the death of one student and the wounding of two others. For some time past bitter feeling has existed between the students, especially the student who was killed, Jacob A. Freese, and the negro who is supposed to have shot him, Pat Brewer, and from time to time they have quarreled. On Saturday evening they had a fight, but as the negroes outnumbered the students, they retreated and made their way to the university. The negroes retired to their usual rendezvous, the house of a negro named Barber, where they held high carnival into the night.

At a late hour two students who had spent the evening in town, while passing Barber's house, were cursed and stoned by the gang. The young men hastened to the university and rousing up Freese and four others, easily induced them to give assistance in seeking redress. On reaching the house they tried to force their way in, at the same time calling on the negroes to come out and give them satisfaction. The reply was a volley from a second storey window. The fire was returned by the students, but so far as learned none of the negroes were injured. Freese was instantly killed, a bullet passing through his heart, and two students were wounded. A party, well mounted, and well armed, has gone in pursuit of the ringleaders of the negroes, who fled after the murder, and should any one of the fugitives be captured he will undoubtedly be lynched. Seven negroes have been arrested and fears are expressed that they will be lynched by the students.

Libelling a Preacher.

HULL, Eng., Oct. 6.—A criminal summons was issued yesterday against the editor of the Hull Critic for libel against a Nonconformist preacher named Hopper Josslin. One of the paragraphs claimed to contain the libels was as follows:—

"The devil went out one day,
In search of an impious preacher,
He wasn't very long on his way
Before he collared old Beecher.

Flushed with his grand success,
Satan, the champion 'copper,'
Rushed along in his dusky dress
And collared old Booth and Hopper."

It is said Gen. Booth would have joined in the complaint, only that he is in America.

The Quebec Elections.

MONTREAL, Oct. 16.—It is now conceded that the Quebec elections have resulted in the defeat of the government. At present the larger number of members are claimed by both parties. The conservatives maintain that the vote is a tie, while the liberals claim that they have a working majority. The relative strength of the two parties cannot be positively announced until the house meets. It is predicted by some that a coalition will be necessary to carry on the government.

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PASSENGERS.

Per ss QUEEN OF THE PACIFIC, from San Francisco—John Hill, Louis Witt, Frank Barker, W Davis, Mrs Parkiss and ch, A H Dawson and wf, Geo Henderson, J A Hait, F J Barnard, M P, W Meese, J Patterson, B Freeman, Geo J Campbell, J L Griffin, R C Soule, and 19 others.

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Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

October 18, 1886.

Murchison, A., New Westminster
Ce La Lung, Victoria
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Fox, Mrs M. A., Belfast, Australia
Chu Kee & Co., Wellington.

Personal.

Mr. Thos. Ladner, Ladner's Landing, is at the Driard.

Mr. P. Murphy, arrived home by the Queen of the Pacific on Sunday.

Mr. S. Tingley, Supt. of B. C. express and stage company, is registered at the Oriental.

Mr. P. A. Barnhart, one of the popular conductors of the C. P. R, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mr. F. J. Barnard, M. P., returned from San Francisco by the steamer Queen of the Pacific on Sunday.

At the Driard: L. Samuel, Jno. Simonds, Sacramento; G. B. Adair, Seattle; E. Greenbaum, San Francisco; C. H. Walker, Walla Walla.

At the Oriental: J. Abrams, F. W. Jordan, A. R. Johnston, Nanaimo; E. A. Wadhams, New Westminster; A. Coutlie, Nicola; T. Elliot, Granite creek; J. Gordon, A. Ryder, Sooke; Jno. K. Grey, Portland; Alex. C. Perry, Vancouver; J. M. Forman, Nanaimo.

Supreme Court.

(Before Hon. Mr. Justice Gray.)

John J. Russel vs. Grace Russell.

This was a suit for divorce upon the ground of adultery and was tried before his lordship Judge Gray, and a special jury of which Mr. Robert Ward was chosen foreman.

The evidence (which is entirely unfit for publication) shewing adultery, was uncontradicted, but the respondent set up a defence of cruelty as a discretionary bar to the divorce. The case went to the jury at about 8 30 p m., and after half an hour's absence they returned with a verdict in favor of the petitioner, finding also that the charge of cruelty was not sustained.

Mr. Theodore Davie for the petitioner and Mr. S. P. Mills for the respondent.

"A Great Country."

Mr. Small, M. P., of Toronto, was interviewed at Winnipeg on his return from this province and in answer to the query, "What do you think of British Columbia?" said: "It's a great country, a grand country. I tell you, Canadians should come west to see the extent of country they have."

The Sproule Case.

Mr. McIntyre, Sproule's counsel at Ottawa, has been notified that a medical commission, at the urgent request of the Imperial authorities, will be appointed to enquire into the mental condition of the prisoner.

The Bark Bylgia Seized for Smuggling Curios.

The German bark Bylgia, laden with tea from Yokohama for the Canadian Pacific railway and now discharging cargo at Port Moody, was seized by Custom officer Grant on Sunday for smuggling curios.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE. — A special meeting of the subscribers of the Mechanics' literary institute, will be held in the reading room this evening at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of taking into consideration the advisability of handing over the library to the city council to be used as a free public library, and other matters in connection with the proposed winding up of the affairs of the association.

BEAUCHAMP, the game dealer, received yesterday by train from Shawnigan lake five large buck deer weighing from 160 pounds downwards, which he will sell at a reasonable price; likewise a lot of blue and willow grouse. 3*

THE WIRES.—After we had received a portion of our despatches last night the wires "went down" near Seattle. However, if was a relief to have them up for a few hours.

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DIVORCE.—The case of Russell vs. Russell comes up in the supreme court to-morrow before Mr. Justice Gray.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE.

The Island Railway Scenery.

The excursion to Nanaimo on the island railway is very popular, and last Sunday the train was taxed to its full capacity. Few people are aware of the varied and picturesque scenery that passes as a superb panorama of nature in all the attractions of its primeval loveliness. While the mountain views along the C. P. Railway are more extended and sublime in their vast area of grand surprises, it is doubtful if they can rival the intrinsic beauty of the innumerable array of impressionable scenes along the island road as it ascends to the mountain summit. There is an indescribable fascination in travelling through a new country for the first time on a railway car, and even to the most indifferent it must suggest thoughts for speculation on the wonderful march of civilization to the most remote corners of the world. Who can imagine a more enchanting picture of unsullied nature than that presented along the Saanich Arm. The train climbs to an aerial height, from which miles of country can be viewed without interception.

LEAVING GOLDSTREAM

and crossing the high trestles over deep canyons, through which the sparkling streams rush over jagged rocks onward to the sea, there is a constant repetition of surprises. Now we are on a more shelving hewn out from the side of a mountain. Looking downward, the immensity of height above the placid waters of the arm is realized. Suddenly a tunnel is pierced, and emerging the train is balanced in mid-air 180 feet on a master piece of mechanical skill, a deep cut is passed, and there suddenly bursts upon the vision the silent grandeur of Saanich Arm traced for miles between rugged mountains that rise sheer up to the height of many hundred feet. The becalmed waters are ever tranquil in their isolation from the sea. Along the right the face of country is in many places barren of vegetation, and the immense wall of rock forms an effectual barrier. Occasionally, however, the mountains are less bold in aspect and recede to undulating hills teeming with all the foliage for which this island is known to be prolific. As far as the eye can reach an indiscriminate mixture of colors is presented by the autumn tints already on the trees. The majestic pines which never change their sombre green form an unique background and subdue the gaudy colors just enough to portray a lovely landscape. Here and there miniature islands dot the arm, and from the lofty railway one may look down upon them and in a glance comprehend their proportions and features of interest. The arm is followed for several miles when suddenly the view is completely obscured by a dense growth of primeval trees towering beyond the range of vision obtained from the car window. At first the forest is penetrable for quite a distance through long sweeping vistas of shade and sunshine, presenting an undulating carpet of moss and ferns, though as the train passes on toward the summit there is a dense growth of copsewood, that borders the road on each side, and here the first idea of wild nature undisturbed is formed. Beyond the forest another picture of distance is presented on the left, and through the trees

SHAWNIGAN LAKE

is seen hemmed in on all sides by thickly wooded mountains. For several miles the road passes along this lake which resembles much in contour and diversity of beach, the famous Adirondack lakes, noted throughout the world for their inimitable attractions. It is evident that Shawnigan lake is destined to become a popular resort for sportsmen and pleasure seekers. Indeed, if some enterprising Victorian would erect a hotel here and provide a few boats, a more enjoyable spot could not be found in British Columbia. As a health resort it would be unsurpassed, the air is rare and purity itself, the waters are delicious, especially from the innumerable springs that abound. The lake is fairly alive with splendid trout easily caught, while in the adjacent forests there are plenty of deer, bear, occasionally a panther, many grouse and a variety of small game. Accommodations for pleasure seekers should be erected at once at Shawnigan lake, as already a large crowd of people visit the place, especially on the Sunday excursions, and they would be glad to extend their stay, but are obliged to return the same day for lack of shelter. It is safe to predict that Shawnigan lake will be the one

GREAT RESORT OF VICTORIA

in the near future, and on holidays it will be dotted with boats, the beach will be thronged by visitors, while the recesses of the deep forests will be invaded. All nature will awake to the fact that civilized life is about to reign where all has hitherto remained a mystery to the people of the province There is already quite a population at the lake including several camps of hunters, who kill from three to five deer each day and ship them by rail to market.

The equally pleasant characteristic besides its beautiful scenery is the genial hospitality of its settlers.

On the borders of the lake in a hut of thoroughly arboreal construction in which Mr. A. J. Otterson, better known as the "Major" resides. He is an ardent lover of the rod and gun, a thoroughly good fellow, and has established himself there with the sole intention of sport until the springtime comes again. All who may visit the Major can assure themselves of a hearty greeting.

A majority of the sportsmen on last Sunday left the train at the southern end of the lake, and commenced their assault on the game in that quarter, while a few proceeded to the station about four miles beyond, and passing around the northern end of the lake entered the forest which is very luxurious in undergrowth and progress through it is necessarily slow. While there are unmistakable

PLEASURES IN DEER HUNTING

and that too, in a forest seldom entered by a white man; there are also several unlooked for adventures that are sure to try the patience of the most intrepid hunter or discourage a second attempt by the novice.

Speaking of novices there was one on the train Sunday who has sold out his interest in deer hunting and forest explorations and will henceforth be content on future visits to bask in the sunlight between the railroad fences. Bright and early he appeared at Russell's station, armed with a 45 Winchester rifle, and after enquiring if an express wagon would be at the depot to carry his deer to town, he confidently boarded the train. He gazed with scorn upon the tame hunters who had only shotguns, his ambition was for larger game. It never occurred to him but that he would shoot at least three deer and possibly a bear. He was much concerned as to the best method of conveying the game out of the woods to the railroad. Although never in a primeval forest he was courageous and would accustom himself to his surroundings, and was one of the party that entered the forest at the upper end of the lake. Filling the magazine of his gun and fastening a bundle of lunch by a cord to the back button of his coat, he began a still hunt, ever on the alert for the least sign of a deer. The woods were wet and the water soon soaked through his shoes, but he did not mind that. On he went, calculating to make a circuit of four or five miles and return to the lake. As he proceeded the way became more and more obstructed, the undergrowth was so thick that it was almost impossible to proceed. At one moment he was climbing over a giant log, only to go down out of sight on the other side, he crawled, he slid, in fact he performed a number of contortions for an hour without

ROUSING A SINGLE DEER.

He tried to cross a slough on a fallen log with the bark off, and suddenly landed in a sitting posture in the water beneath; he stepped on a slippery piece of bark at an angle of forty-five degrees and went head first into a briar bush. All these violent exercises dampened his ardor and he climbed on to a big log to rest, mentally bewailing his ill luck. At this juncture a fine deer jumped right from under his feet on the opposite side of the log. The blood was still in his veins, his hair rose, his very breath seemed to stop from the sudden shock. Indeed, it would be hard to tell which was the more frightened, the deer or the hunter. Before he recovered the deer was out of sight. Thrilled with excitement he sallied forth to catch up with his game, but, singular to state, did not succeed. At this moment the awful silence was broken by an unearthly noise that made his heart stand still. He had heard the cayote of Nevada make night hideous, he had heard the grizzly of the Sierras give his terrifying growl, but this was evidently an animal new to his comprehension and infinitely more ferocious. The thought of

MEETING A PANTHER

was not a pleasant one. Panthers were found in trees and this loud-mouthed creature was only a few yards away on an old pine. Finally the valor of a huntsman gave him strength to cautiously approach the deadly panther in the hope of getting a sure shot. He selected the small tree he would climb if the wounded beast attacked him, and strode boldly up to the panther's perch. Again the animal gave a sonorous yell and the brave hunter raised his gun as he walked around the tree to get a sight of his victim. Yes, there he was, the body just visible through the leaves. He took deliberate aim and fired, at the same time getting out of the way in case the panther should fall. There was a flutter among the leaves, a few feathers floated in the air, and an old wild goose flew off leaving behind one of those thrilling calls for which he is famous, and now the hunter knows the difference between a goose and a panther. This settled it; disgusted, he turned to retrace his steps, he would return to the railroad, but alas! he did not know which way, he was completely lost in the forest. Sitting down he thought he would eat some lunch, but on reaching around for the package it was gone. In sheer desperation he started for a higher point in the forest, when he struck a well-worn trail and triumphantly started for the lake, but after travelling about four miles he was in a regular jungle, the day was fading and already objects were becoming indistinct. Satisfied that he was going

DEEPER INTO THE WOOD

he retraced his steps in the endeavor to find his starting point. Just at dark he caught a glimpse of the lake and about eight o'clock succeeded in reaching the railroad, a "sadder yet wiser man." He was wet, hungry, and forlorn, shivering with cold, tired rheumatic and footsore, as he repentantly trudged along toward Victoria. Fortunately a light guided him to a cabin, where he was hospitably taken in by a hunter and steaming over the warm fire, in the desolation of his heart he murmured, "be it ever so humble there's no place like home." He reached Victoria yesterday afternoon. These are a few of the unlooked for pleasures of deer hunting, but nevertheless, there remains the same old desire to try it again, and despite his discouraging experience, like many others, this young hunter may be tempted to visit Shawnigan lake again, if not for the hunting, for the sake of its picturesque beauty and natural attractions as a pleasure resort.

Sooke.

The Sooke mutual improvement and social society held their first meeting on Thursday last, this being their maiden meeting. It was open to the public, of whom there was a fair attendance, considering the scattered settlement of the district, together with the wet, unfavorable weather. The excellent programme consisted of an essay on "Education," by Miss Jennings. The essay was well read and showed much thought and research, being literally bristling with good points. A song by Miss Isabella Muir was well rendered; readings by Miss Jennings and Hugh Milne; musical selections by Mr. John S. Muir; recitation by Mr. Donald Barney and songs by Messrs. John Murray and Adam Ross, the latter gentleman singing his first song with much feeling. A feature of the programme was an interval of twenty minutes for social chat. The meeting separated thoroughly well satisfied with their evening's enjoyment.

DOMESTIC LIGHT.—The engine, plant and fixtures for the Victoria Electric Light Co. have arrived, and will be immediately placed in position, so that in the course of another month the company will be enabled to supply light for domestic use. It is understood that a large number of the leading business and manufacturing firms will have their establishments illuminated by the new light. The electric station will be on Langley street, opposite Sehl's building. The electrician of the Sperry Co. is now in the city, and commenced work yesterday.

FOR THE WEST COAST.—Some twenty-five Chinese left last evening by the steamer Hope which has been chartered for the west coast by a Chinese firm. It is thought that the men go to engage in gold-digging.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Triumph will steam into the straits for big gun practice this morning. The flagship will leave on Thursday for San Francisco and thence to Panama and Callao.

DREDGER ROCK.—Several blasts were fired from the Dredger rock yesterday. The debris is being dredged very rapidly, and in a week or so the Dredger rock, so far as navigation is concerned, will be no more.

NEW ENGLAND BAKERY.—Bread, cakes, pies and pastry of all kinds, fresh oysters by the bottle or sack, promptly delivered to all parts of the city.—YOUNG BROS., Government street. *

THE new wagon road from Englishman's river to Alberni is expected to be finished in November.

The Young Men's Christian Association.

Under the careful fostering of those interested in its support the Victoria branch of the Young Men's Christian Association is prospering indeed. Since its formation—it is now in its second year—it has been more than self-supporting, and although this year there has been heavy extra expenditure, it confidently anticipated that the receipts will be extra in proportion. The object of these societies is the intellectual, moral, spiritual and physical well-being of young men of all classes and conditions, and it seeks to attract young men through well-appointed reading rooms, with library, gymnasium, Bible classes, young men's meetings, evening classes in practical branches, lectures, literary and musical entertainments, lyceum for debates on current questions of the day, receptions, employment bureau, with various other agencies to benefit and help to right companionship all who come within its influence. The new rooms of the society are above Spencer's Arcade and, as we have explained in a previous issue, are well fitted for the purposes of the society. In addition to the library, reading room, gymnasium, lecture room, bath rooms and lavatories, there is a reading room expressly for boys between the ages of 10 and 16 years, supplied with literature attractive and wholesome for them. This is auxiliary to the association and is managed by the ladies' committee under the supervision of the secretary, Mr. J. J. Daley It is entirely distinct from the association and each boy pays $2 a year for the privileges conferred. What is called the members' parlor, for their exclusive use, has been comfortably furnished by the ladies of the Women's Auxiliary association, and the room besides being provided with games of chess, draughts and dominoes, has also a new and fascinating one entitled "Crokinole." A lecture course has been arranged for fortnightly during the winter, and those in the member's course are free to members with the privilege of bringing a friend. The ladies of the Reformed Episcopal church will give a conversazione on the second Tuesday in November which will be the first of the course, admission to the concert on Wednesday next being by ticket which can be obtained from members of the association. The large hall is open as gymnasium on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, reserving Wednesdays and Fridays for entertainments and lectures. On the four days first mentioned, also, the baths will be in running order. The organization is one that makes its good influence felt, and furnishes a pleasant and instructive place of resort to all young men but more especially to those who, without the benefits of home society are often at a loss where to spend their evenings; and in many cases solve the problem by passing them in saloons.

Mainland News.

(Columbian.)

Mr. Maxwell Mowatt came down from Harrison river to-day on the Adelaide. He reports that the Indians have had no difficulty in securing all the salmon spawn that was required for the hatchery, 5,000,000 eggs having been already placed there. He expects to finish work for the season at Harrison in another week.

Senator Canfield, H. A. Fairchild and T. G. Nicklin have just returned from New Westminster, says the Whatcom Reveille, where they held a consultation with some of the most prominent citizens of that place in relation to the projected railway to connect this county with the Canadian Pacific railway. They report a very cordial reception.

Awarded First Prize.

The first and only prize at the Provincial Fair to sewing machines was given to the light running Domestic, as being the best family sewing machine in all points of merit, by competent judges. Diplomas of merit were given the Domestic for the best plain sewing, best araseine embroidery, best chenille embroidery, best conchen. Mr. T. W. Fletcher is agent for the Domestic in Victoria. 2w

MUSICAL.—We are requested to call the attention of musical amateurs to a meeting of the Orchestral society to be held this evening at 8 p. m., at the office of J. J. Austin, Esq., Bastion street. As it is intended to bring out shortly several operettas, an oratorio and a symphony, players of string or wind instruments will derive much benefit and pleasure from joining the orchestral practices of the society, which charges a small monthly subscription, but no entrance fee. Those wishing to become active or honorary members may attend this meeting in person or may apply to the hon. secretary, Mr. Siffken. The members of the society are doing, moreover, a good work, because the accruing funds are devoted to charitable purposes.

AT HALF-MAST.—The steamer Geo. E. Starr coming in at half-mast yesterday afternoon, created some curiosity as to the cause. It was found that she had on board the remains of Frank Farnham, lately engineer of the steamer Idaho, which plies on the Sound. He died on Thursday last at Seattle of perforation of the vermiform appendix—a most unusual disease. He was a young man 27 years of age, of most exemplary character, and was a native of Bath, Maine. His remains, accompanied by Mr. Harry Farnham, brother of the deceased, left this morning by way of the Canadian Pacific railway for the old home.

FIGHTING A RAILROAD COMPANY.—Mr. S. Greer, who arrived from the mainland on Sunday night, is burdened with a lawsuit against the C. P. R., and is selling some of his land at English bay to protect the remainder. Mr. Greer has reason to believe he has a good case, but the corporation he is fighting is a strong one, and will probably appeal the case as often as an adverse judgment is rendered, until they have carried it as far as possible.

FRASER RIVER SALMON.—The Western Slope arrived yesterday noon from Fraser river with 4439 cases of salmon, 1090 from Laidlaw & Co., and 3349 from the Wellington Packing Co. They were all consigned to Welch, Rithet & Co., and will be transferred to the Jesse Stowe, now loading for London.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND

CLOTHING BOUGHT AND SOLD.—Highest cash price paid for *Superfluous or Cast off Garments, Blankets and Overcoats.* TRAVELERS having a superfluity of clothing can sell them for cash to
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THE LATEST NOVEL, "The Heir of the Ages," by James Payne, for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co. *

TEN CENTS School Companions at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s. *

What Some People Say.

That coal is $9 50 a ton at Vancouver.

That the darkest hour is when you can't find the matches.

That you can't have the last word with a chemist. He always has a retort.

That a poor young man out of the elbows does not feel like laughing in his sleeves.

That a choice assortment of English walking sticks, just received, at John Barnsley's, gunsmith, Fort street. 1m.

That the German emperor is extremely fond of fish, and has trout on his table every day.

That copies of Mr. Beecher's lectures are selling in England at the fabulous figure of a penny apiece.

That Edinboro' and Burton ales are always on draught at the Occidental Hotel. *

That "patience" being given to a little Scotch lad to define, he answered, "Wait a wee and dinna weary."

That there was a time when a man thought twice before marrying. Now he thinks three times after marrying.

That for fresh island butter and fine groceries at lowest rates go to Wightman's, corner Fort and Douglas streets.

That Justin McCarthy and his wife went to London in 1860 with $50 His "History of Our Times" realized him $35,000.

That it wasn't so very long ago that nature turned over a new leaf, and yet she is already beginning to paint the country red.

That the Occidental hotel maintains its name as one of the first class family hotels in this city. It makes its guests feel at home even when away from home. 1m

That Adonis Dixey observes that there are a lot of people in New York who turn up their trousers because it is muddy in England.

That Mark Twain remarks that $8,000 would come much nearer the sum he got for "Huckleberry Finn" than the $80,000 that common report gave him.

That a splendid assortment of briar, wood and other pipes just arrived from London, England, at H. Short's, Fort street.

That a pretty little actress, who has been greatly annoyed by the attention of dudes, now wears a new wedding ring on her finger, and takes good care to keep it conspicuously in sight.

That "Joobahaws" and "jawsmiths" are the last products of American pothouse politics. A joobahaw is said to be a man who thinks with his jaw, and a jawsmith is merely a thoughtless mouth-worker.

That it is astonishing how correctly a man can aim at his wife in a dark room when he mistakes her for a burglar. Real burglars are seldom injured in such encounters.

That whenever a crisis seems imminent in Spain they get up a bull fight, and when the people see how much worse the bulls are treated than they are they remain pretty well satisfied with their lot for several days.

That parties wishing hotel accommodations should go to the Clarence, now considered the leading hotel in Victoria. The table is unsurpassed. Board by the day, week, or month at moderate rates. 1m

That three vessels that sailed from Buenos Ayres for Savannah on the same day saw nothing of each other during the entire voyage until they entered the mouth of the Savannah river within a few hours of each other.

That at Racine, Wis., a few days ago, a man with a hod of mortar on his back fell forty feet, broke a two-inch plank in his descent, and was not in the least injured. The strain came on the local editor who tells the story.

That the chestnut bell has been superseded in Buffalo by the liar card. When the story-teller becomes too enthusiastic in his exaggeration the listener hands him a card on which is printed, "I am somewhat of a liar myself."

That the grand jury at the Haldimand assizes brought in true bills against Henry Cribbner and John Sunday for bribery during the recent election. The jury have indictments against four other persons to consider.

That Henry George has a son about 20 years old who is helping his father in the campaign. Here is Henry George, jr; slim, blue-eyed, and with hair a lighter red than his father's. Following the ancestral example, he is already becoming bald fast. He acts as his father's private secretary.

That what has become of the $300,000 subscribed in 1872 to provide a memorial of national thanksgiving for the recovery of the Prince of Wales? Mr. Labouchere cables that he "never heard that this enormous sum had been devoted to the purpose for which it was subscribed by the public. It would certainly be interesting to learn where it lies, and what is to be done with it."

That Liszt, with all his wonderful powers, was meanly jealous, and could be as petty about it as a silly girl. Last winter while in Paris a young musician asked him to write in her autograph book, and he readily assented, but on turning over the leaves he saw in it Rubinstein's bold signature and instantly thrust back the album with the petulant remark that he (Liszt) should have been asked first!

That Cardinal Newman has written: "After the fever of life, after weariness and sickness, sightings and despondings, languor and fretfulness, struggling and succeeding, after all changes and chances of this troubled and unhealthy state, at length comes death, at length the white throne of God, at length the beatific vision.

That "a curious fact," writes a correspondent from Paris, "was lately told me about society in Germany. It appears that every man who desires to be thought a gentleman must enter the army. No matter how high his rank, that course is obligatory. He must not study for any one of the professions, neither can he become a painter or an author or a musician. If he does not become a soldier the court and the aristocratic society of Berlin and Dresden are closed against him. 'No admittance except for soldiers' is the invisible sentence traced upon the doors of German society. 'Our crown princess will insist upon receiving such persons as artists and authors,' once said a German countess to my informant, 'but then, you know, her entertainments are never what we consider select.'"

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Marine.

Steamer Idaho, for the north, is due from Portland to-day.

United States steamer Oliver Wolcott arrived in the harbor yesterday from Port Townsend.

Ship R. P. Buck, now lying in the Roads, is to be towed up to Nanaimo to-day.

Bark Don Nicholas, in tow of the tug Pilot, arrived at Nanaimo on Sunday to load with Wellington coal.

Bark Arica, from Liverpool, with general merchandise for Victoria, is now due, having left on June 6th.

Bark Anamba is *en route* from San Pedro, bound for Moodyville to load lumber for west coast of South America.

Bark Ansonia left San Francisco on Saturday the 16th, *en route* for Moodyville to load lumber for Coquimbo.

Bark Pacific Slope, Capt Barnes, left Sandwich Islands on Oct. 1st to load lumber at Moodyville for Sydney, Australia.

Hawaiian bark Thomas K. Foster, Captain Rugg, is expected to arrive at Moodyville this week, where she loads lumber for Melbourne, Australia.

Ship North America, with coal from Departure bay for San Francisco, passed down in town of the steamer Alexander on Sunday.

Ship C. C. Chapman is 162 days out on her trip from Port Townsend for Boston with a cargo of spars, and there is some uneasiness among owners and insurance men regarding her safety.

Steamship Queen of the Pacific, 54 hours from San Francisco, arrived at the outer wharf on Sunday afternoon at 4:40 o'clock, with 36 passengers and 1794 tons of freight.

German bark Bylgia has discharged her cargo of tea at Port Moody and cleared for Port Townsend, whence she proceeds to the Port Blakely sawmill, Washington Territory, to load lumber for Shanghai, China.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 16.—On Friday night the schooner Emeline, Captain Grant, bound from St. Pierre to Bay Despair, struck on Dragon promontory, in Hermitage bay, on the west coast of Newfoundland, and sank immediately. The captain and crew of six men were lost.

Sam Jones' Aphorisms.

Half of us never get up with an old sinner until he is dying, or dead drunk, or too sick to move. Nine out of ten of these 18th century sinners can run a mile while we are fastening our shoes.

Christianity—Life, or it is nothing.

I tell you, brothers and sisters, the more religion you have the better husband you are going to be, the better father you are going to be, the better mother you are going to be, the better children you are going to be.

Heaven itself would be the home of an orphan if God is gone forever.

Heaven itself has nothing better than God.

When a man can get his eye on the things unseen he is a millionaire.

The Church and the world are too thick.

Creed is nothing but the skin of truth set up and stuffed with sawdust and sand.

Now I can run Mormonism with Smith in his grave; I can run Confucianism with Confucius in his grave; but I cannot run Christianity without a living Christ to abide with you in your work.

When a man does not repent he can't believe to save his life—and when he does repent he can't help believing.

The best way to be happy is to get very miserable about our meanness.

Let's get the idea out of our heads that a sad face means a clear heart, that a solemn look means purity of life, that dignity and usefulness are synomyous terms.

When a man is full of sin he needs a good deal of dignity to hold him up.

Religion never was designed to make one pleasure less.

If any boy were called to preach I would not send him to a school of theology but to a school of manology.

OFFICE DIARIES FOR 1887 JUST RECEIVED AT T. N. HIBBEN & Co's

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CUSTOMS SALE.

HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from the Hon. W. Hamley, Collector of Customs, to sell by

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AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,

AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

On Wednesday, Oct. 20, 1886

FOR INFRACTION OF THE REVENUE LAWS:

1 Whale Boat at C. P. N. Co.'s wharf,
9 Boxes Cigarettes, 4500,
2 " Climax Tobacco, 52lbs.
20 Gross Playing Cards,
1 Box Cigars.

AT COMMENCEMENT OF SALE.

1 Ivory Piano, 1 Piano Stool, 2 Mattresses, 1 Bath, 1 Camp Chair, 1 Basket, 1 Parlor Suite, 1 Book Seelf, 1 Round 3 Bedsteads, 1 Wardrobe, 1 Whatnot, Miners' Stoves, etc.

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Used in the Construction of the

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2 STEAM BOILERS

Hemp Rope, Wire Cable, Chain, Logging Chains, Hooks, Derrick Chain, 7½ dozen short and long handle Shovels, Crosscut Saws, Axes, Derrick Outfit, Pulleys, Horse-power Wheels, Pulleys and Hooks, Pinions, Wood and Iron Blocks, Bellows Vise, Anvil Rollers, Brackets, 4 pr. Car Wheels and Axles, Truss Socket, 9 Tents, Scrap Iron, Grain Sacks.

CAMP OUTFIT.

6 large Cooking Ranges,
316 Spoons, 284 Knives, 246 Forks,
Carving, Butcher and Hash Knives,
549 Tin Plates, 256 Cups, 11 Lamps,
128 Meat Dishes, 43 Bread Pans,
10 Boilers, 16 Bowls, 4 Strainers,
15 Teapots.

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At salesrooms, Wharf street, Victoria,

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All that parcel or lot of land situate in Coast District, in the Province of British Columbia, said to contain 160 acres, and known on the Official Plan or Survey as

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At the Salesroom, Yates street, on

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AT NOON,

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1191 tons register, as she now lies in Coal Harbor, Barrard Inlet; Tight, Staunch, Strong, and can be got ready for sea in twenty-four hours. The vessel was newly metalled in 1884, and has passed a marine survey. She is well found in Anchors, Chains, Sails, Running Gear and, in fact, is thoroughly equipped.

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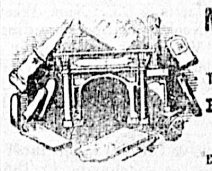

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BLIND TOM.

The Negro Musician's Property the Subject of Litigation.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Judge Donohue of the supreme court, has denied the application of Mrs. Charity Wiggins, the mother of Thos. Wiggins, known as "Blind Tom," the wonderful pianist, to have his mental condition inquired into by a committee and his estate cared for. Tom's father's name was Mingo. He is dead. Both father and mother were Georgia slaves. Tom was born in that state in 1849. When he was four years old the whole family were sold as slaves to James W. Bethune, with whom they remained until freed by the war. Under an agreement, Tom was placed in control of Bethune for five years, until May, 1870, when he would be of age. This was approved of by S. F. Baine, superintendent of freedmen, at Augusta, Ga., without the parents' consent. Bethune took Tom out of the estate and put him on exhibition as a pianist. In 1876 Tom became a citizen of New York. While on exhibition in Virginia Tom was declared a lunatic, and Bethune's son, John G. Bethune, was appointed guardian of his person. The latter acted as Tom's manager till 1884, when he died. The elder Bethune was then appointed. In the meantime Mrs. Wiggins removed to this city. She brought suit against Bethune for the services of her son, and an accounting of the profits of the exhibitions since 1875. That suit is pending at Alexandria, Va. The old lady has twelve children, the oldest 60 years old and the youngest 28, all born in slavery, and therefore not born in lawful wedlock. Tom has no heirs. His mother is next of kin, unless the court decides the other children are relations. Hence the application to Judge Donohue. Affidavits state that Tom, though possessed of wonderful musical ability, is an idiot. The application was denied on the ground that proceedings should be instituted in the state where the guardian was first appointed.

Late Canadian News.

ONTARIO.

The executive of the home mission committee of the Presbyterian Church, at Toronto has concluded its session. The following appointments were made to British Columbia: Rev. Alex. Dunn, formerly missionary of the Church of Scotland, at Langley, B. C.; Rev. Alex. Tait, who is not placed at present, and Rev. F. McCuaig, Kingston.

It is stated that Sir Charles Tupper has decided to take the field against Blake in West Durham, at the next general election, but it is a rather improbable story.

At the convention of Liberal-Conservatives for the riding of East Grey, Dr. Sproule, M. P., and Capt. Joseph Rorke were nominated for the Dominion and Local Houses at the approaching elections.

The Liberals of South Perth have nominated James Trumph for the Commons and Thomas Ballentyne, M. P. P., for the Local.

Spurgeon Brown, deputy collector of customs at Owen Sound is supposed to be fatally injured by a gun going off while being trailed and the load lodging in his abdomen.

The residence of Rev. William Reeve, a retired Presbyterian minister, of Gravenhurst was destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is about $1,500.

About 3 o'clock this morning James Carson, Owen Sound, employed as watchman on the steamer City of Owen Sound, fell overboard and was drowned. The body was recovered and sent home by the Alberta this afternoon. Wm. Smith, of Mellocheville, Que. employed on the steamer Celtic, fell down the hold of the vessel this afternoon and had his back broken. He was taken to the hospital and died this evening.

QUEBEC.

The gross earnings of the Canadian Pacific for the week ending October the 7th were $221,000, an increase of $39,000 compared with the corresponding week of last year.

In Good Repute.

James McMurdock, writing from Kinsale, says: "B. B. B. as a remedy for diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, has an excellent reputation in this locality. I have used it, and speak from experience, as well as observation, and I advise others to try it. tu-th-sat-dw.

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In a recent letter from R. W. Dowton, of Deloraine, Ont., he states that he has recovered from the worst form of Dyspepsia after suffering for fifteen years; and when a council of doctors pronounced him incurable he tried Burdock Blood Bitters, six bottles of which restored his health. tu th-sat-dw.

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Boston Record: "Dan'l," said the president as he peered out of the widdow this morning. "Dan'l, I say, are not those the same faces we left here when we started to chase the antelope over the plain?"

"Yes, sire."

"The hands are stretched out for something just as they were before."

"Precisely sire."

"Dan'l, order the cohorts to gather forthwith and disperse them!"

"But, sire, they are legal voters."

"Well, Dan'l, then we will begin on the letters. The cohorts may finish their breakfast."

Sly Girl.

New York Sun: "Charlie, what is a chestnut bell?" said his girl.

"Oh! it's a bell that rings when any one tells an old story."

"Well, they couldn't call me a chestnut belle! I have no ring."

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The well-known drug firm of N. C. Folsom & Co., of Kingston, writes that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has long been considered the best remedy for Summer complaints in the market, and adds that their customers speak in the highest terms of its merits. Wild Strawberry is the best known remedy for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery and all Bowel complaints. tu-th-sat-dw.

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MOODYVILLE AND HASTINGS, Wednesday and Friday, at 2 o'clock.
PORT MOODY TO VICTORIA, Daily, except Monday, at 12:30 o'clock.
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LEAVE VICTORIA—
FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, LADNER'S LANDING AND LULU ISLAND, Monday at 2 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.
PLUMPER PASS, Friday, at 7 o'clock.
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LEAVE PORT HAMMOND FOR VICTORIA. Monday at 15 o'clock, Friday at 10 o'clk
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER FOR VICTORIA. Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday, at 7 o'clk
FOR PLUMPER PASS, Tuesday, at 7 o'clock.

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FOR HOPE, CHILLIWHACK, SUMAS & WAY LANDINGS, Tuesday and Saturday, at 7 o'clock.
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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

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NOTICES.

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THAT WE INTEND TO APPLY TO THE HON. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of Pastoral Land; beginning at A. Gilmore's S. W. corner, near Mouth of Goldstream; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, to place of beginning
C. E. PERRY,
R. C. CRIDGE.
Victoria, 2nd Oct., 1886. oc3-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE

THAT I INTEND TO APPLY TO THE HON. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase a tract of Pastoral Land, described as follows: Commencing at S. W. corner of A. Gilmore's purchase, near mouth of Goldstream; thence south 60.20 chains; thence east 25.80 chains; thence north 60 20 chains; thence west 25.80 chains, to place of beginning, containing 160 acres, more or less. J. W. McLEOD.
Victoria, B.C., 2nd Oct., 1886. oc3-2m

NOTICE.

B. C. BRIGADE GARRISON ARTILLERY.

ANY PARTIES HAVING ARTILLERY UNIform clothing in their possession, or on their premises, are requested to notify the officer commanding the B. C Garrison Artillery. Such uniform if not in charge of men now enrolled and present with the corps will be sent for.

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By order. NORTHING P. SNOWDEN, Capt. Adjutant.
Victoria, B. C., 1st Oct., 1886. oc2 2w

SHUSWAP & OKANAGAN RAILWAY

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 4th day of October next, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the stock books of the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway Company will be opened at the office of the said Company in Bastion Street, Victoria.
J. W. McPARLAND,
Secretary to Provisional Directors.
Dated 9th September, 1886. oct2

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND APPLY to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small island lying to the north-west end of Salt Spring Island, known as "Idol Island," containing about six acres, more or less. JOSEPH ZACK TAYLOR.
September 30th, 1886. 1oct2m

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands in the Osoyoos division of Yale District, viz.: Vacant portions of sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 26, 27, 33 and 34, township 49, section 4 township 51; east half of sections 24, 25 and 26, township 55. J. C. HAYNES
Victoria, B. C., 30th September, 1886. 1oct2m

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS FIRM TRADING AND CONtracting under the style and name of G. B. WRIGHT has hitherto consisted of G. B. WRIGHT and GEORGE J. AINSWORTH. The latter partner has withdrawn from the firm from this date. If any claims are held against the firm they will be paid by the undersigned, and the business will in future be carried on by him alone. G. B. WRIGHT.
Victoria, Sept. 15th, 1886. se18 1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT IT IS MY INtention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following plot of land for grazing purposes situated in the Chilcoaten District, and more particularly described as follows:—Commencing at a post alongside L. W. Briskie's S. W. corner post and running about forty chains to his S. E. corner stake; thence east about three miles to a post marked N.E.; thence one mile and a half in a southerly direction to the Fraser River bank; thence following the downward course of river about two miles; thence initial post; containing, more or less, two (2) thousand acres. (Signed) B. F. ENGLISH.
Deer Park, Chilcoaten, 15th Sept., 1886. se24dw2m

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The stock on which the above assessment remains unpaid after the first day of November next, shall from and after that date be deemed delinquent.

Dated 23th September, 1886.
By order of the Directors.
W. MONTEITH,
se30 1m Secretary.

NOTICE

I INTEND APPLYING TO THE CHIEF COMmissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, situated about two miles north-east from the foot of "Swan Lake"—one of the Okanagan chain—and on a creek running into the Okanagan river, about one mile from Phillips' ranch.
J. C. HAYNES.
Victoria, B.C., 4th Oct., 1886. oc6

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROVINCE James Stewart holds my Power of Attorney.
A. McLEAN.
September 15th, 1886. se16

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SPRING ASSIZES.
(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria	Monday	3rd May
Nanaimo	Tuesday	1st June

(ON MAINLAND.)

New Westminster	Wednesday	5th May
Yale	Wednesday	26th May
Kamloops	Monday	7th June
Clinton	Monday	14th June

FALL ASSIZES.
(ON MAINLAND.)

Richfield	Monday	13th September
Clinton	Wednesday	29th September
Kamloops	Monday	4th October
Lytton	Monday	11th October
Yale	Friday	15th October
New Westminster	Wednesday	10th November

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria	Monday	22nd November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th December

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
ap9td Provincial Secretary.

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